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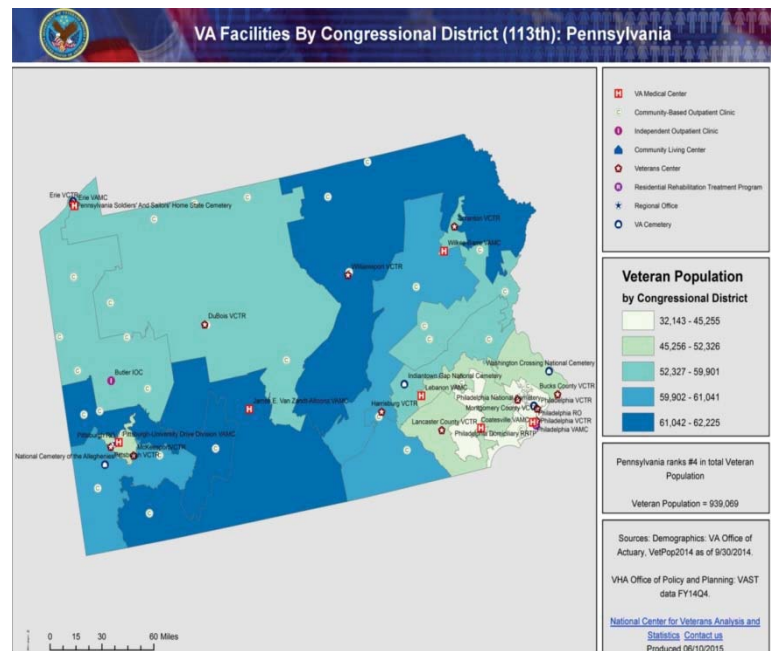
# State Summary

## Pennsylvania

The Department of Veterans Affairs (VA) offers a wide variety of programs and services. Many Veterans use VA education programs, obtain VA guaranteed home loans, and receive VA disability payments. VA completed a record-breaking 1.17 million disability claims in FY13, and is on track to complete even more in FY14.

One of the most visible of all VA benefits is a large health network of hospitals, community-based outpatient clinics, Vet Centers, nursing homes, residential rehabilitation treatment programs, and comprehensive home care programs. Veterans are expected to make more than 86.4 million outpatient visits to VA health care facilities this year.

VA also manages a network of national cemeteries, soldier's lots, and monument sites, and provides headstones and markers for Veterans' graves worldwide.

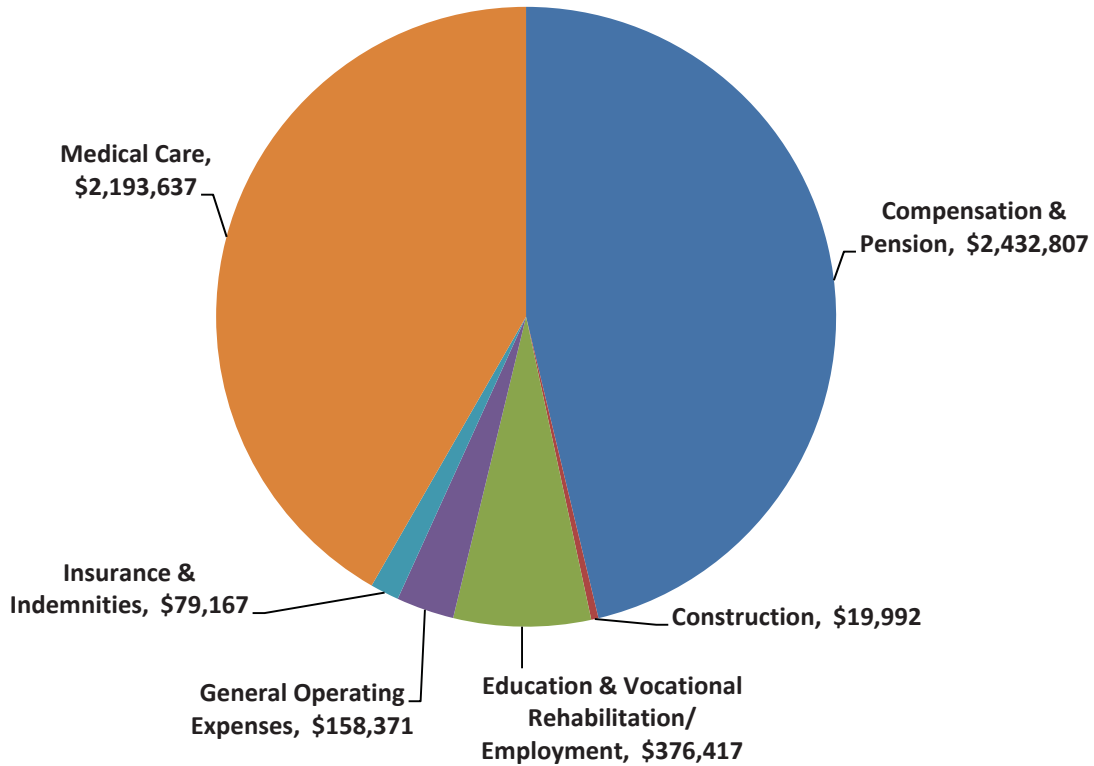


VETERAN POPULATION (as of 9/30/2014)	Total	State
<b>Number of Veterans</b>	<b>22.0 M</b>	<b>939,000</b>
<b>Number of Women Veterans</b>	<b>2.02 M</b>	<b>71,000</b>
<b>Number of Veterans Age 65 and Over</b>	<b>9.95 M</b>	<b>478,000</b>

FACILITIES (as of 9/30/2014)	Total	State
<b>Number of VA Hospitals</b>	<b>150</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>Number of Community-Based Outpatient Clinics</b>	<b>831</b>	<b>36</b>
<b>Number of Vet Centers</b>	<b>300</b>	<b>12</b>
<b>Number of VBA Regional Offices</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>2</b>
<b>Number of National and State Cemeteries</b>	<b>229</b>	<b>5</b>

## FY13 VA Expenditures Pennsylvania = \$5.3 Billion

(in thousands)



BENEFITS (as of 9/30/2014)	Total	State
Number of Veterans Receiving Disability Compensation	3,949,066	111,696
Number of Veterans Receiving Pension	304,556	13,556
Number of Dependency & Indemnity Compensation (DIC) Beneficiaries	382,245	12,247
Number of Death Pension Beneficiaries	211,716	12,319

HEALTH CARE (as of 9/30/2014)	Total	State
Number of Enrollees in VA Health Care System	9,106,480	364,352
Number of Unique Patients Treated	5,869,487	233,511